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**PN** -  US6163256 A 20001219 [US6163256]  
**TI** - (A) Brake light apparatus  
**IN** - (A) BROWN JEFFREY C (US)  
**AP** - US39827499 19990920 [1999US-0398274]  
**PR** - US39827499 19990920 [1999US-0398274]  
**IC** - (A) G60Q-001/44  
**EC** - B60Q-001/44B  
**PCL** - ORIGINAL (O) : 340479000; CROSS-REFERENCE (X) : 073862627  
340463000 340468000  
**DT** - Basic  
**CT** - US4682146; US4888997; US5150098; US5606310; US5610578; US5682137;  
US5831523  
**STG** - (A) United States patent  
**AB** - Brake pressure indication apparatus in a vehicle includes a plurality of red  
L.E.D.s arranged in a ladder-like configuration. The L.E.D.s illuminate  
progressively in response to brake pressure. As brake pressure is increased, more  
L.E.D.s illuminate. Brake pressure may be sensed in either of two ways, such as  
movement of the brake pedal or the expansion of a flexible brake hose.  
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Brake light apparatus

REISSUE: December 18, 2002 - Reissue Application filed Ex. Gp.: 2736; Re. S.N.  
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CORE TERMS: brake, conductor, intensity, lamp, red, brake pedal, illuminate,  
sensor, array, deceleration ...

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75394 BRAKE  
713807 LIGHT#  
1369235 INDICAT?  
189695 INTENSITY

L1 72 BRAKE (P) LIGHT# (P) INDICAT? (P) INTENSITY

=> s brake(2a)pedal(10a)(potentiometer or pot or varistor or variable resistor)

75394 BRAKE  
31984 PEDAL  
42873 POTENTIOMETER  
40884 POT  
2909 VARISTOR  
358172 VARIABLE  
169267 RESISTOR  
23312 VARIABLE RESISTOR  
(VARIABLE (W) RESISTOR)

L2 144 BRAKE (2A) PEDAL (10A) (POTENTIOMETER OR POT OR VARISTOR OR VARIABLE  
RESISTOR)

=> s l1 and l2

L3 3 L1 AND L2

=> s strain(3a)(gage or gauge)

103170 STRAIN  
16488 GAGE  
92585 GAUGE

L4 9898 STRAIN (3A) (GAGE OR GAUGE)

=> s l1 and l4

L5 0 L1 AND L4

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L7 10 L3 OR L6

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